

Notices to Consignees.

P. M. S. Co.'s Steamer "JAPAN" from YOKOHAMA and SAN FRANCISCO.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

GEO. E. LANE, Agent.

Hongkong, June 7, 1869. jun19

CONSIGNEES of Z.L. No. 552/577, 25 cases CHAMPAGNE per Anjo, are hereby informed that they have been landed and stored at their risk and expense and are requested to take immediate delivery.

P. & F. DERODE FRERES.

Hongkong, June 3, 1869. ti.

NOTICE.

THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

GEO 18965. 1 case Chemicals.

C. BERTLAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's Steamer "Tyne" are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take delivery of their Goods before the 1st of June, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

C. BERTLAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, May 27, 1869.

OCEAN QUEEN, STEAMER, FROM GLASGOW.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Steamer are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the above steamer, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 10, 1869.

Notices of Firms.

THE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foochow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co.

the partners therein being, Mr WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr THOMAS LARKEN.

WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.

Foochow, May 1, 1869. ti.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

FROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr GEORGE E. LANE, to whom all communications should be addressed.

YEE-WO & Co.

Hongkong Hotel, April 1, 1869. ti

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established myself as a Public Accountant, AVERAGE ADJUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

C. LANGDON DAVIES.

Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

FROM this date Mr GEORGE E. LANE, will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this port.

GEO. E. BOWMAN.

Hongkong, March 15, 1869.

NOTICE.

I HAVE established myself at Kobe, and Osaka, as COMMISSION MERCHANT and GENERAL AGENT.

HENRY LUCAS.

Hongkong, April 15, 1869. ti.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr WILLIAM NELSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last.

Mr THOMAS PIM, Mr WILLIAM NISBET, OMBUDSMAN and Mr H. SEYMOUR GRAY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date.

OLYMPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

NOTICE.

WE have this day admitted Mr BENJAMIN E. GALL, as a partner in our Firm.

FAWCETT & Co.

Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

NOTICE.

WE have authorized Mr CLAUDE BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date.

DREYER & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.

MR D. O. CLARK retires from our Firm, and Mr J. MURRAY FORBES and Mr E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners from this date.

RUSSELL & Co.

China, January 1, 1869. jun2

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN FAIRBAIRN and Mr. JOHN SAMUEL COX, will sign our firm per procreation from this date.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, April 15, 1869. jul18

BROWN, JONES & Co., UNDERTAKERS.

MONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES, ERECTED, in the Best Style. LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on the Shortest Notice.

apply at, Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

For Sale.

Ex "MARY NICHOLSON" and "KAISOW" BASS in hhds., barrels and kildrums. Oiler's TABLE and 1 and 2 Light Reading LAMPS.

Charles Dickens' New Edition complete. ICE PLATES. Bear's Smoking TOBACCO.

Waterproof OVERCOATS, CAPS and BOOTS.

Air CUSHIONS, PILLOWS and Swimming BELTS.

UNDERSHIRTS, PERFUMERY, MEERSCHAUMS.

CLARET, BARSAC, HOCK, Sparkling MOSELE and KRUG.

STATIONERY.

Christy's HATS.

Summer and Walking BOOTS.

16-foot Billiard TABLE, for Drawing Room, with Stand &c., complete.

MANTELPIECES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, May 26, 1869. jun9

NOW READY.

(AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.)

PRICE \$1.00.

THE ANGLO-CHINESE CALENDAR MANUAL.

A Handbook of reference for the determination of Chinese Dates, during the period from 1860 to 1869, with comparative Tables of Annual and Monthly Designations, &c., &c. Compiled by WILLIAM FREDERICK MAYERS, H.M.C.S.

Author's Preface.

Most persons whose avocations or studies are connected even remotely with Chinese subjects are wont to confess the need of a convenient manual of reference for the purpose of determining dates according to either the European or the Chinese method of computation; and a system of comparison for the names attributed to years, months, and other periods is also frequently a desideratum with translators and readers of Chinese literature. The compiler of the following tables has thought, accordingly, that their publication in a convenient form may prove useful, although much yet remains to be done for the elaboration of comparative calendars, etc. that should leave nothing to be desired. With the exception of the Cyclical Table of Years, and the Table of Solar Terms, both of which were originally compiled by Dr. Morrison, and afterwards republished with improvements in Williams' Commercial Guide, from which (with some alteration) they are now copied, the whole of the material assembled in the following pages is for the first time made accessible to general reference.

Published by C. A. SAINT, China Mail Office, Hongkong.

HAMS, CHEESE, AND OILMAN'S STORES, &c.

Ex "Douglas Queen."

ACEWEN & Co. have just landed from the above vessel—

A choice invoice of Pale and Smoked York HAMS, Prime Cheddar CHEESE, in tins, and Breakfast BACON, in tins.

Also, Crosse and Blackwell's mixed PICKLES, Capt. White's Oriental PICKLE, and a general assortment of the finest OILMAN'S STORES for family use.

33, Queen's Road, Hongkong, May 29, 1869. jun29

Ex "Mary Nicholson" and "Kaisow."

HUBBARD'S PAINTS, OIL, and TURPENTINE.

Base's ALE, in Quarts and Pints.

Guinness's STOUT, in Quarts and Pints.

CLARET, VERMOUTH, SHERRY.

To arrive per "Anson."

Base's ALE, in Kilderkins.

ACEWEN & Co.

Hongkong, May 29, 1869. jun29

FOR SALE.

Price: \$11.00.

DICTIONNAIRE JAPONAIS FRANÇAIS.

Published by Léon Pagès.

Paris, 1868.

Apply to J. DE SOUZA,

Hollywood Road, Hongkong, May 15, 1869. jun15

EX FALCON AND ZIBA.

NEW GOODS FOR THE SEASON.

LONGCLOTH SHIRTS with Linen Fronts, Gauze, Merino, and Silk UNDER-SHIRTS, Linen and Paper Collars, White, Brown and Stripe Ties and Cotton SOCKS, NECKTIES and SCARVES, Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS, Straw HATS, Ellwood's HELMETS, Sangster's UMBRELLAS, Masala VESTS, Trower DUCK and DRILL, ALPACA, French MERINO and PAIR MATTAS.

Ladies' and Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed HATS, White and Fancy Muslin and other DRESSES, Printed French CAMBRICS, Silk, Lisle Thread and Cotton HOSIERY, Silk GLOVES, Trimmed BOOTS, Canvas EDGINGS, RUBBONS, LACES, VELVETS, HABERDASHERY, &c.

Window CURTAINS, Mosquito NETS, SHEETINGS and COUNTERPANES, Bath and Toilet TOWELS, Antimacassars and Toilet COVERS, Damask Table LINEN, Gauze and other FLANNELS, Longcloth and Irish LINENS, STATUERY of all kinds, PERFUMERY, BRUSHES, SOAPS, SPONGES, Children's PERAMBULATORS, &c., &c.

S. W. BAKER & Co.

Hongkong, April 10, 1869. ti

FOR SALE.

Just landed ex M. L. Str. "Imperatrice."

LARETS: Chateau, Lafitte, Larose, Palmer, Also,

St. George, St. Julien, Margaux, St. Emilion,

WHITE WINE: Haut Sauterne, Chablis.

MADEIRA, XERES, SHERRY, MUSCAT, MUSCATEL, &c., &c.

LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, May 3, 1869. ti

For Sale.

FOR SALE. FEW Superior RIFLES adapted for prize shooting, both breech and muzzle loaders, regulation bore.

LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, May 3, 1869. ti

FOR SALE.

HE following Properties belonging to the Estate of DEIST & Co.

At Hongkong.—The Property at present occupied by Messrs Evans & HAINSWORTH, consisting of a Dwelling House, with Servants' Office and Stables and three Godowns each 150 feet by 60.

The situation of this Property outside the British concession, its river frontage of 320 feet and extensive Godown accommodation makes it one of the most valuable at Hongkong especially for steam-boat purposes.

At Kowloon.—Four Lots on the British Concession with a frontage of 232 feet on the river bank. The buildings consist of a Dwelling House, with Servants' Office, and two Godowns 100 feet by 50 and 105 feet by 66 on the front Lots, and of a Godown 155 feet by 66 feet on the back Lot.

For further particulars, apply at the Office of the Trustees.

No. 7, Pedder's Hill; H. P. HANSEN, Shanghai.

Hongkong, April 10, 1869. aug31

FOR SALE.

At the Victoria Foundry, The Manchurian Patent Powdered Hand FIRE PUMP, with 20 feet of HOSE, will throw the water 45 feet high, can be kept in the Bed-room, Parlour or any other part, ready for immediate use.

Hongkong, May 18, 1869. jun18

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Underigned will sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 10th June, 1869, at 12 o'clock, at his Sales Room, Commercial Bank Buildings,

120 bolts David Corsar and Sons' Canvas, Nos. 1 to 5.

100 boxes Yellow Soap.

18 barrels Salmon.

2 hhds. Porter.

10 cases Sweetmeats.

30 doz. Gentlemen's Collars.

30 pieces colored corded Alpaca.

12 pieces printed Stoff.

20 doz. black and colored Ties.

80 doz. white Handkerchiefs.

10 pieces printed Muslin.

10 gross black Alpaca. Braid.

10 gross colored Braids.

25 doz. Brass and Iron Padlocks, assorted.

20 pairs Plated Candlesticks and Shades.

And, An Invoice of white and colored Glass and Crockeryware, comprising—

Sugar Basins, Butter Dishes, Salt Cellars, Salvers, Comports, Centrestands, Mugs, Tumblers, Dinner, Dessert, Cheese, Soup Plates, &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, June 8, 1869. jun10

BONNETT & CO.

MILLINERY AND DRAPERY ROOMS, QUEEN'S ROAD.

HAVE RECEIVED BY LAST OVERLAND

LADIES' and CHILDREN'S HATS Trimmed and Untrimmed, BONNETS, EMBROIDERY, SKIRTS, CRINOLINES, TRIMMINGS, and a variety of other GOODS.

JET JEWELLERY.

Gentlemen's SCARVES, NECKTIES, HATS, BRACES, CHIEF BELTS, HANDKERCHIEFS, FRENCH MERINO, PARMATTA and ALPACA COATING, DUCK and DRILL.

Travelling BAGS, STICKS, UMBRELLAS, &c., &c.

A general assortment of SADDLERY, always in Stock from the best London Makers.

Hongkong, June 8, 1869. jun23

FOR SYDNEY. The Dutch Barque "CONSTANCE," Capt. Schreier, will have quick despatch for the above Port.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

Occidental Hotel, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

THE Occidental Hotel having been recently improved and refurnished, is now in complete order in all its appointments.

Travellers will find the Accommodations of this well-known Hotel equal to those of the best Hotels of the Eastern States and Europe.

Hongkong, April 15, 1869. oc13

MESSRS. KOSS & Co.

BEG to inform the public of Hongkong that they had established themselves as TAILORS & GENERAL OUTFITTERS, on the premises hitherto occupied by Messrs LADAGE, OELKE & Co.

Having secured the services of an experienced European Cutter, and also having received per late arrivals a very superior stock of NEW GOODS, of the latest patterns, they are prepared to meet all the requirements of the present season.

A large stock of Ready-made CLOTHING, of the latest Fashions, always on hand.

KOSS & Co., Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, February 5, 1869.

New Advertisements.

SAIL MAKING!! WILLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in Duddell Street, and solicits the patronage of the Public.

He has on hand a fine assortment of 8 and 10 ounce RAVEN'S DUCK suitable for Boat Sails or Awnings.

Hongkong, April 29, 1869.

GEORGE GLASSE, (FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO) KINGSTON & Co., PICCADILLY LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS.

ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS SUPPLIED & REFITTED.

Hongkong, May 1, 1869. ti

ANDREW MILLAR, HOUSE, SHIP, & STEAM-BOAT PLUMBER, COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER, No. 1, Queen's Road East and Mulich Lane.

Hongkong, October 25, 1868.

BOARD AND RESIDENCE at No. 5, BONHAM ROAD, W. Good Accommodation.

Apply at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY, Hongkong, January 29, 1869. to

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THE Fortnightly Market Circulars published by the CHAMBER, will in future be deliverable from the Office of the Underigned from 10 A.M. of the morning preceding the steamer's departure. The Circulars are at the disposal of non-Members, on application to the Secretary, who will furnish particulars of cost, &c.

J. W. WOOD, Secretary.

Club Chambers, Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

FOLMOSA COAL DEPOT AT KILUNG.

HAS on hand a large Stock of COAL of best quality, and is prepared to supply Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the same under Contract at Hongkong and any Treaty Port in China.

The Depot drawing supplies from the best Mines only, intended to provide a superior article, free of the Surface Coal that has hitherto prejudiced consumers.

MILISCH & Co., Agents.

Kilung, April 2, 1868.

MR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other PHOTOGRAPHS—Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, March 11, 1868. ti

THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS, is published in London for the P. & O. Co.'s and French Mails, and contains—Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and Foreign News.

Special Correspondents' Letters from Germany, Holland, &c.

Leading Articles on the principal interests of China.

Digest of Home Opinions on China Subjects.

List of Passengers by the current and succeeding Mails.

Naval and Military News.

Births, Marriages, and Deaths.

Commercial, Banking, Share Lists, &c.

Market Reports, Shipping News, Freight, Exchanges, &c., from London and the Continent, New York, &c.

Statistics of Imports and Exports.

Statement of each Ship's Cargo for China and Japan, and by the P. and O. Mails.

Subscription—\$12 per Annum. With Express Supplement, \$14.50. Single Copies, 50 cents.

MORRIS & Co., Agents, Queen's Road.

Hongkong, March 12, 1869.

RENTS and ACCOUNTS COLLECTED with punctuality and despatch.

And, Distraint WARRANTS or Rent ISSUED and EXECUTED.

Security, if required.

THOS. W. B

Insurance

Hongkong, February 16,

INSURANCES.

INSURANCE OFFICE.
 Having been appointed
 by the above INSURANCE
 Company to accept Marine
 Policies on any first class
 or Steamers, on the India
 or in case of loss, in China,
 CANTON, BOMBAY, or LONDON,
 ROSS, S. WALKER & Co.,
 June 21, 1864.

NOTICE.

INSURANCE COMPANY.
 Rates will be charged in
 short period Insurance.

One 2 per cent.
 Month 1 per cent.
 3 months 2 per cent.
 6 months 2 per cent.

The full Annual Rate
 of 1 per cent.
 B. S. WALKER & Co.,
 Royal Insurance Company,
 April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

Having received notice
 from THE ROYAL INSURANCE
 CO., of London, that they
 have been appointed to
 accept Marine Policies on
 any first class or Steamers,
 on the India or in case of
 loss, in China, CANTON,
 BOMBAY, or LONDON,
 ROSS, S. WALKER & Co.,
 June 21, 1864.

REDUCTION.

OF PREMIUM FOR
 INSURANCE.

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STEAM FOR
Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle,
Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles,
and Southampton;

ALSO,
Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
 NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
 "BENGAL" Capt. G. N. HUTTON, with
 Ho Majesty's Mail, Passengers, Specie, and
 Cargo, will leave this for the above places,
 on THURSDAY, the 10th June, at 6 A.M.

PARCELS and CARGO will be received
 on board until Noon, and SPECIE until
 4 P.M. on the 9th June.

For particulars regarding Freight and
 Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s
 Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES
ARE REQUIRED.

A written declaration of the Contents and
 Value of the Packages for the Overland Route
 is required by the Egyptian Government, and
 must be delivered to the Shippers to the Com-
 pany's Agents with the Bills of Lading, and
 the Company does not hold themselves responsible
 for any loss or damage which may happen from incorrect-
 ness on such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note
 the terms and conditions of the Company's
 Black Bills of Lading.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent.
 P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
 Hongkong, June 2, 1869.



NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES
IMPERIALES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ,
ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA,
MARSEILLES.

ALSO,
BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS,
AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship "TIGRE,"
 Commandant ROUSSEAU, will leave
 this Port for the above places, with
 MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and
 CARGO, on THURSDAY, the 17th June,
 at Noon.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for
 London as well as for Marseilles, and
 accepted in transit through Marseilles for
 the principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until 4
 P.M. of the 16th, Specie and Parcels until
 5 P.M. of the 16th. (Parcels are not to be
 sent on board; they must be left at the
 Agency's Office.)

For particulars regarding Freight and
 Passage, apply at the Company's Office,
 Hongkong. **CONTENTS AND VALUE**
OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.
 Hongkong, May 28, 1869.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.
 STEAMERS of this line will be despatched
 as follows:—

Japan, June 19.
 China, July 19.
 Great Republic, August 19.

A Steamer will leave Shanghai on or
 about same date, connecting at Yokohama
 with above-named steamer.

Passengers ticketed through to California,
 Mexico, Central and South America, the
 Atlantic States, and to England or France,
 both via New York and by lines from Pa-
 cific and Asiatic.

Return tickets issued at a reduction of
 10% upon the whole amount for the round
 voyage.

Connections are made at Panama with
 Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Cen-
 tral and South America, at Aspinwall with
 the "Royal West India Mail Line," the West
 India and Pacific Steamship Company, (Limited)
 and the "French Transatlantic
 Company," and, at New York, with the
 various lines to Europe. Tickets issued
 for the following Steamship Lines: Inman,
 National, General Transatlantic Co., New
 York and Havre Steamship Co., New York
 and Bremen Steamship Co., and North
 German Lloyd.

Favorable arrangements have been made
 for through passengers and freight to Ame-
 rica, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore,
 and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.

Through Bills of Lading given for Ports
 of Mexico and on the West Coast of Cen-
 tral and South America to as far as Valpa-
 raiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton
 and St. Nazaire, France.

Freight to United States payable in ad-
 vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery
 in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent ad-
 ditional, at shipper's option.

For further information, apply at the
 Agency of the Company, Fraya West.

GEO. E. LANE,
 Agent.
 Hongkong, February 16, 1869.

Post-Office Notifications.

MAILS BY THE "BENGAL."

The Contract Packet "BENGAL" will be
 dispatched with the usual Mails
 for Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the
 10th Instant, at 9 A.M., and the Post
 Office will be open for the reception of
 Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registra-
 tion, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8
 P.M. on the 9th Instant. Letters,
 &c., may be posted in the night box
 from 8 P.M. on the 8th Instant until
 7 A.M. on the following morning.

All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M.
 on the 10th Instant will be chargeable,
 in addition to the usual postage, with
 a Late Fee of 18 cents.

The latest time for posting Letters at this
 Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers,
 Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 10th
 Instant.

Further, late letters (but Letters only) ad-
 dressed to the United Kingdom and
 Marseilles or to Singapore, may be
 posted on board the Packet from 8.30
 to 8.40 A.M. on payment of a late fee
 of 48 cents each, in addition to the
 postage, after which no Letters can be
 received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence
 of Box Holders will be received at the
 window set apart for the purpose, on
 the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which pre-
 payment is compulsory must be prepaid
 in Hongkong Postage Stamps.

Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed to
 the United Kingdom will be sent on,
 charged with a fine of One Shilling in
 addition to the postage.

Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 10th
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 may be used in payment of "Late Fee,"
 when the Stamp or Stamps represent-
 ing "Late Fee" or "Registration
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 hand corner.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dol-
 lar will be conducted in the Coins pre-
 scribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and
 the Proclamation of the 22nd January,
 1864, and no other Coins, but those
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 or given in change as fractional parts
 of a Dollar.

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made
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 Bank Notes.

Money Orders on any of the Money Order
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F. W. MITCHELL,
 Postmaster General.
 General Post Office, Hongkong,
 June 4, 1869.

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The Contract Packet "BENGAL" will be
 dispatched with the usual Mails
 for Europe, &c., on THURSDAY, the
 10th Instant, at 9 A.M., and the Post
 Office will be open for the reception of
 Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registra-
 tion, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8
 P.M. on the 9th Instant. Letters,
 &c., may be posted in the night box
 from 8 P.M. on the 8th Instant until
 7 A.M. on the following morning.

All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M.
 on the 10th Instant will be chargeable,
 in addition to the usual postage, with
 a Late Fee of 18 cents.

The latest time for posting Letters at this
 Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers,
 Books, or Patterns 7 A.M. on the 10th
 Instant.

Further, late letters (but Letters only) ad-
 dressed to the United Kingdom and
 Marseilles or to Singapore, may be
 posted on board the Packet from 8.30
 to 8.40 A.M. on payment of a late fee
 of 48 cents each, in addition to the
 postage, after which no Letters can be
 received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence
 of Box Holders will be received at the
 window set apart for the purpose, on
 the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which pre-
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SHIPPING IN HARBOUR

HONGKONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

O. on Pedder's Wharf.—W.O., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf.—W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf.—E.C., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital.—E., Eastward of the Hospital.—K., on Kowloon side.

Vessel's Name and Where Anchored.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
STEAMERS							
1868-69.							
Bengal	W. Hector	Brit. str.	2185	June	2 P. & O. S. N. Co	Bombay, &c.	10th, 9 a.m.
Catalana	W. Escadillo	Span. str.	737	April	8 Landstein & Co		
Catherine Apcar	W. Swanson	Brit. str.	840	May	15 Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Douglas	W. Toppin	Brit. str.	615	June	2 Douglas LaPraik & Co	East Coast	
Formosa	W. Anderson	Brit. str.	700	June	4 P. & O. S. N. Co	East Coast	
Glengyle	E. Hooper	Brit. str.	1265	June	4 Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Japan	W. Freeman	Amer. str.	4100	June	5 Pacific Mail S. S. Co	Y'ma & S. F. cisco	19th, 3 p.m.
Labourdonnaie	W. Rapatel	Fch. str.	910	May	20 Messageries Imperiales		
Lightning	W. Rodgers	Brit. str.	872	June	5 Gibb, Livingston & Co		
Nada	W. Wood	Brit. str.	716	June	2 Sonyebboy Viaram & Co		
Norna	W. Macnamara	Brit. str.	930	June	5 P. & O. S. N. Co		
Swonada	W. Jayne	Amer. str.	1802	June	2 A. Heard & Co	Shanghai	
Tigre	W. Rousseau	Fch. str.	1700	May	27 Messageries Imperiales	Saigon, Suez, &c.	
Titaua	W. Hamlin	Tahit. str.	805	January	21 A. Heard & Co		
West Indian	W. Miller	Brit. str.	1804	June	2 Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Yesso	W. Ashton	Brit. str.	580	June	5 Douglas LaPraik & Co	Swatow, &c.	
Yung-hai-an	K. Morison	Russ. str.	447	October	19 Landstein & Co		
SAILING VESSELS							
Aguia	W. Santon	Port. sch.	350	June	7 J. J. Remedios & Co	New York	To-day
A. W. Stevens	E. Ingraham	Amer. bk.	526	May	30 A. Heard & Co	San Francisco	Early
Akbar	W. Crocker	Amer. sh.	905	May	27 A. Heard & Co		
Allice	W. Schink	N. Ger. sch.	300	May	31 Order		
America	K. Perks	Salv. sh.	1450	January	16 Captain	Portland	Early
Andreas	W. Peters	N. Ger. bk.	398	May	13 Russell & Co		
Ango	E. Rierard	Fch. bk.	512	May	23 P. & P. Derode Freres		
Asuncion	W. Berri	Span. bk.	270	Feb.	19 Order		
Ayrshire	W. Guibertau	Brit. bk.	260	May	27 Borneo Company		
Candelaria	W. Lara	Span. bk.	407	June	7 Remedios & Co	Manila	
Carin	W. Gray	Brit. sh.	947	May	20 Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Carl Ritter	W. Sachan	N. Ger. bk.	230	May	25 Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Chin Chin	W. Grand	Brit. bk.	349	May	28 Order		
Cintra	W. Favacho	Port. bk.	353	May	19 Rozario & Co		
Condor	E.	Brit. bk.	31	May	31		
Constance	K. Schroot	Dut. bk.	350	May	25 Siamasen & Co		
Constantia	W. Abano	Span. bk.	134	January	30 Remedios & Co		
Courier	W. Osmont	Frit. bk.	361	May	14 Landstein & Co	Yokohama	
Cutty Sark	W. Meyer	Siam. bk.	474	June	5 Chinese		
Douglas Castle	W. McRitchie	Brit. sh.	670	May	24 Gilman & Co		
Eduard	W. Schat	N. Ger. bk.	800	May	5 Russell & Co	San Francisco	Early
Eleanor Dixon	W. Matthews	Brit. bk.	405	June	3 Thomas Howard		
Elizabeth Cushing	W. Colly	Amer. sh.	988	May	31 Order		
Ellen	W. Windsor	Brit. sh.	631	Dec.	20 Olyphant & Co	Newchwang	To-day
Ellen Rickmers	W. Rehm	N. Ger. bk.	308	May	23 Melchers & Co		
Elvira	K. Alldag	N. Ger. bk.	345	June	12 Schellhass & Co		
Enona	W. Ellis	Fch. bk.	167	May	22 Dagenar	Singapore	To-day
Emulation	W. Wardle	Brit. bk.	392	May	28 Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Falcon	W. Vorrath	Siam. bk.	338	May	20 Chinese	Chefoo	To-day
Feiga	W. Lewridsen	N. Ger. bk.	280	June	7 E. Schellhass & Co	London	Immediate
Formosa	W. Cobb	Amer. sh.	1252	May	11 Tudor Company	Manila	
Frederic	W. Nicaise	Belg. sh.	803	January	6 Borneo Company		
Frya	W. Quedens	N. Ger. bk.	495	May	25 Siamasen & Co		
Georg	W. Schierloh	N. Ger. sch.	118	June	3 E. Schellhass & Co	Tientsin	To-day
Gravina	W. Barelo	Span. bk.	246	June	3 Remedios & Co	Manila	
Hermine	W. Plambek	N. G. bk.	June	June	4 Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
H. Upmann	W. Swartz	N. G. bk.	May	May	28 Carlowitz & Co		
Jeanne Alice	E. Moutier	Fch. sh.	1100	May	2 Bosman & Co		
John & Gaudine	W. Madero	N. Ger. bk.	290	May	30 Bull, Purdon & Co		
Kalga	W. Petersen	N. Ger. bk.	347	June	4 Wm. Pustau & Co		
Katarina Maria	W. Brandt	Dut. bk.	340	June	6 Stenissen & Co		
Louisa	K. Hansen	Dan. bk.	227	June	1 Captain		
Louisa Canavaro	W. Moro	Salv. sh.	1100	March	20 Wm. Pustau & Co	San Francisco	Immediate
Malay	E. Clough	Amer. sh.	812	May	6 A. Heard & Co	Saigon	Immediate
Maria Miles	W. Grandt	N. Ger. bk.	208	April	25 Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Marie	K. Sorensen	N. Ger. bk.	333	May	19 E. Schellhass & Co		
Martha	W. Koch	N. Ger. bk.	210	May	27 Melchers & Co		
Mary	E. Townsend	Brit. sh.	1140	May	23 Russell & Co	San Francisco	Early
Mary Nicholson	W. Freebody	Brit. sh.	694	May	20 Jardine, Matheson & Co		
Matafor	W. Kalkloser	N. Ger. bk.	302	June	1 Wm. Pustau & Co		
Mauritius	W. Petersen	N. Ger. bk.	390	May	30 Order		
National Eagle	W. Nickerson	Amer. sh.	1095	Feb.	1 A. Heard & Co	San Francisco	Immediate
Niva	W. Staurat	Russ. sch.	93	May	9 A. Heard & Co		
Providenza	K. Vevanway	Salv. sh.	564	April	3 Remedios & Co		To-day
Rodrigo	W. Parello	Span. bk.	187	May	16 Wahee & Co	Manila	
Santa Ana	W. Gavito	Span. bk.	402	May	16 Remedios & Co	Manila	
Scawell	W. Thompson	Brit. sh.	825	June	7 Birley & Co		
Singapore	W. Confucius	Dut. bk.	303	June	1 Wm. Pustau & Co		
Sword Fish	W. Moller	Span. str.	200	April	21 Remedios & Co		
Union	W. Birkinshaw	Brit. bk.	361	May	7 Rozario & Co	Melb. & Sydney	Early

WHAMPOA.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
Belted Will	Locke	Brit. sh.	812	May	30 Douglas LaPraik & Co		
Ellen Morris	Sellack	Brit. bk.	194	June	8 Bourjau, Hubener & Co		
Gazelle	Green	N. Ger. bk.	193	June	5 Carlowitz & Co		
Joseph Hambro	Moller	Dan. bk.	235	May	22 Order		
Odense	Baisen	Dan. sch.	241	June	6 John Bird & Co		
Reyna	Barredo	Span. str.	200	April	21 Remedios & Co		
United Service (Canton)	Tough	Brit. str.	650	June	5 Wm. Pustau & Co	Shanghai	

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag & Rig.	Consignees.
CHINA & JAPAN PORTS			
SHANGHAI	U. Service	Brit. str.	Wm. Pustau & Co
YOKOHAMA	Courier	Brit. bk.	Landstein & Co
OTHER PORTS			
LONDON	Feigs*	N. Ger. bk.	E. Schellhass & Co
SAN FRANCISCO	National Eagle	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
Do.	Malay	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
Do.	Edward	N. Ger. bk.	Russell & Co
Do.	Mary	Brit. sh.	Russell & Co
Do.	Akbar	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Union	Brit. bk.	Rozario & Co
PORTLAND	Andreas	N. Ger. bk.	Russell & Co
SAIGON	Maria Miles	N. Ger. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co
MANILA	Rodrigo	Span. bk.	Wahee & Co
Do.	Formosa	mer. sh.	Tudor Company
Do.	Carin	Brit. sh.	Jardine, Matheson & Co
Do.	Santa Ana	Span. bk.	Remedios & Co

* At Whampoa.

† At Canton.

MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Comdr.	Commander.
Archduke Frederick	Aust.	corvette	16		Chevalier de Pitter
Argus	British	steam sloop	800		Hallowes
Bouquer	British	gun boat	230	3	60 Rodney Lloyd, Lieut. Comr.
Bustard	British	gun boat	232	3	60 C. F. W. Johnson
Donau	Austrian	corvette	1960	16	Baron Anton Potz, Admiral
Flamer	British	Naval hospital	230		Attached to Melville
Janus	British	gun boat	230		40 In ordinary.
June	British	steam sloop	1464	4	Edward Hardinge
Meeanee	British	Military h'pital	2591		Hospital ship
Melville	British	Naval hospital			R. Pottinger, Dep. Insp. Gl.
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	2443	14	Oliver J. Jones, Commodore
Unadilla	U. States	gun boat	500	4	A. R. Yates

CHINESE GUN-VESSELS IN CANTON WATERS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Comdr.	Commander.
An-lan	Chinese	gun vessel	221	7	Godsill
Chen-to	Chinese	gun vessel	221	7	Edwards
Ching-tsing	Chinese	gun boat	4		Bessard
Chin-hai	Chinese	gun boat	6		Deins
Fai-long	Chinese	gun boat	5		Francis
Spy	Chinese	Customs' lorchs	3		Pointer
Sui-tsing	Chinese	gun boat	180	5	Stewart
Tien-po	Chinese	gun boat	6		do Longueville

HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON

RIVER STEAMERS.

Vessel.	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
Dragon	British			P. & O. S. N. Co
Fame, (110 h. power)	Do.	117	Stephenson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Fire Dart	Do.	380	Carrol	H. C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
Kin Shan	Do.	455	Cary	H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kiu Kiang	Do.	617		H. C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Lintin	Do.	69		Acheong
Little Orphan	Do.	45	Benning	Union Dock Company's Tug.
Poyang	Do.	379	Thebault	H. C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
Prince Albert	Do.	101		Q. Acheong
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	Do.	140	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co.
Spark	Amer. bk.	140	Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co.
Spec	Do.	280		H. C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
White Cloud	British			

RECEIVING SHIPS & HULKS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Chase	P. M.	ship	283	Macon	Harbour Master (Gunpowder)
Fort William	British	ship	1000	Purchase	P. & O. S. N. Co
John Adam	British	barque	318	Dennia Daly	Water Police
Kim Joo Hong	"	"	288		

Chinese Advertisements.

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China & Co.
Canton, Hongkong,
Manila, C. S. S.

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June 8, United Ser
June 9, Elida, No
Hagberg, Kuracao
Cotton.—Bourzat

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9, Joseph Ham

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FOR SWATOW, AM
The Steamer

Captain
for the
MORROW, the 10th
For Freight or Pass
DOUGLAS
Hongkong, June 9,

BARQUE "ELLIDA"
CONSIGNES of
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their Bills of Lading
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BOURJAU, H

Hongkong, June 9, 1

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Apply to
WAHEE
Hongkong, June 8,

To arrive per steamer
BERNAT'S CENT
To pump 360,00
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\$1,250.

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